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C O N F I D E N T I A L AMMAN 0572

JERUSALEM FOR SECRETARY'S PARTY

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PEPR, XF, JO  
SUBJECT: JORDAN: JERUSALEM IS NOT LAST STEP IN MIDEAST  
PEACE PROCESS

1. SUMMARY: MFA MINSTATE IBRAHIM PRESENTED FORMAL  
REQUEST TO AMBASSADOR JAN. 17 THAT U.S. CONTINUE ITS  
ACTIVE ROLE IN PEACE PROCESS. SAME DEMARCHE PRESENTED TO  
EUROPEAN AMBASSADORS AND WILL BE PRESENTED TO ARABS.  
SINCE GOJ VIEWS JERUSALEM TALKS NOT AS FINAL STEP IN  
PROCESS, ME STATES WILL NEED OUTSIDE HELP TO OVERCOME  
WHATEVER IMPASSES MAY ARISE. AMBASSADOR ASSURED IBRAHIM  
OF U.S. INTENTION TO PLAY ACTIVE ROLE IN JERUSALEM AND  
THEREAFTER. END SUMMARY.

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2. MINSTATE FOR FONAFF HASSAN IBRAHIM CALLED IN  
AMBASSADOR JAN. 17 TO PRESENT OFFICIAL GOJ REQUEST  
(PRESENTED EARLIER TO COMMON MARKET AMBASSADORS) FOR  
CONTINUED ASSISTANCE IN SUCCESSFULLY CONCLUDING MIDEAST  
PEACE NEGOTIATIONS. GOJ VIEWS JERUSALEM TALKS NOT AS  
FINAL STAGE OF NEGOTIATIONS; IF TALKS RESULT IN DEAD-  
LOCK, ANOTHER MOVE CAN BE MADE TO GET NEGOTIATIONS BACK

ON TRACK, PROVIDED U.S. AND EUROPEANS HELP. IBRAHIM  
SAID HE WOULD MAKE SAME APPEAL TO ARAB AMBASSADORS WITH  
SPECIAL REQUEST THAT THEY NO LONGER DWELL ON THE PAST.

3. IN DISCUSSIONS, AMBASSADOR NOTED THAT U.S. ALREADY  
DEEPLY ENGAGED AND WOULD CONTINUE TO BE. SEC. VANCE  
NOW IN JERUSALEM WITH INSTRUCTIONS FROM PRESIDENT  
CARTER TO PLAY ACTIVE ROLE IN DISCUSSIONS WITH PRIMARY  
STRESS ON ACHIEVING AGREEMENT ON SET OF PRINCIPLES.  
AMBASSADOR WELCOMED CONSTRUCTIVE GOJ VIEW THAT  
JERUSALEM NOT BE VIEWED AS LAST STEP IN PROCESS, UBT  
RATHER ONE OF OTHER IMPORTANT STEPS IN THIS PROCESS. IN  
MEANTIME, HASSAN AND AMBASSADOR AGREED THAT U.S.  
AND GOJ SUPPORT FOR PRESIDENT SADAT VITAL.  
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